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## Fun time at the carnival



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Six-year-old Jordan Manners rides the Jumping Jumbos at the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.



Paisley Boychuk, left, and Hannah Charuk walk through the Port Colborne Lions Carnival with the prizes they won playing games.



A group of kids take a turn on the Pharaoh ride at the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.

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# UPFRONT

## Lions Club serves up a good time



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Reeve Houser, left, his brother Cohen, centre, sister Lyla and mother Dana all take a ride on the magic slide at the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.



Tyrin Avis, right, and his younger brother Cyrus ride the Groovy Bus at the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.



Kaitlyn Hall, Payton Dickie and Peyton Morozuk ride the Hanglider at the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.



Mark Pollard and his son Joshua ride the Port Colborne Lions Carnival held this weekend at Lions Field.

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# CALNEWS

■ **EXTREME SPORTS:** FlyBoard Niagara launches on Welland River

## New wave sport extreme fun

**DAN DAKIN**  
QMI Agency Niagara

For about 10 seconds, I was Ironman. Floating 15 feet above the Welland River I gracefully hovered on a high-tech flying machine as people in boats and on shore looked on snapping photos and cheering.

And then, like that time in *Ironman* where Tony Stark came crashing back to earth in his malfunctioning suit, I fell backward like I'd been knocked off a pedestal and slammed into the water on my side.

Ever been punched in the kidney? Neither have I, but I'm pretty sure that's what it feels like.

It was my first time trying flyboarding, a new extreme sport now being offered in Niagara Falls.

Over and over I launched out of the water riding a waterjet-powered board. Over and over I hovered high above the water and then came splashing back down. Sometimes with a somewhat graceful dive, most times with a kidney-smashing thud.

But in 15 minutes of flyboarding, I was hooked.

At first glance, the gravity-defying sport looks like the end result of a three-way brainstorming session between Stark, Mary McFly and George Jetson.

In reality though, flyboarding was invented by a French personal watercraft rider named Franky Zapata three years ago. He now sells the equipment and flyboarding business franchises around the world.

As crazy as it appears to onlookers, the idea is fairly simple: Water is shot out of the back of a personal watercraft — most commonly known as a Jet Ski — through a large hose and into two jets mounted to something that looks like a wakeboard.

As the engine on the PWC is revved up, the flyboard rider, who is strapped in with special boots, flies into the air and is able to move around by leaning and bending.

If you're good and practise enough, you can launch 10 metres in the air, move around freely and even perform tricks such as backflips.

If you're a complete rookie like me, you can launch six metres in the air, feel like a superhero and then come crashing back to the water.

Either way, it's a blast.

"I originally saw it on the Discovery Channel a couple of years ago and thought it looked pretty cool. I went on YouTube and saw more videos and became obsessed with it," said Craig Bagshaw, who launched FlyBoard Niagara in early June along with business partner Rodney Moore.

Bagshaw was hoping to start the flyboarding business last year, but it took

until this spring to get everything lined up. It's based out of the Greater Niagara Boating Club on Lyons Creek Rd. in Chippawa.

When things are slow, Bagshaw's 17-year-old son Tyler will head down the river closer to the Weightman Bridge to attract attention by performing those tricks mentioned earlier.

"People have to get to know it," Moore said. "You say 'flyboarding' and right now most people don't know what it is."

"It's already starting to come around," said Bagshaw. "We would obviously love to get the tourist market. That's why we picked this location."

It was Tyler Bagshaw who was manning the PWC Sunday while I added flyboarding to the list of stupid human tricks I've attempted. I'd rank it less frightening than skydiving, more fun than hunger jumping and significantly easier than downhill skating. Crashed Ice style — something I never should have attempted.

"It was more difficult than I expected, but so was water skiing and wakeboarding when I first tried them," said Marcin Migdal, who was also a flyboarding rookie when he came to Niagara Sunday from Oakville to try out the extreme sport. "The first 15 or 20 minutes I was just trying to figure it all out."

The 50-year-old Bagshaw left his full-time job as a heavy equipment operator to launch the business while Moore, 45, is doing double duty by maintaining his full-time job in Niagara Falls.

"We'll see how it goes, but we've got some high hopes for it," said Bagshaw, who spent four years helping to build the new Niagara Falls hydro tunnel. "If everyone who says they'll try it actually tries it, we'll be good."

With parents' permission teenagers can try flyboarding, as long as their feet are big enough for the board's built-in boots. As for the upper age bracket, there's no limit.

"We had a lady who was 70 watch it and say she was going to come back to try it," Bagshaw said.

So far, though, a 57-year-old man is the oldest to flyboard in Niagara.

At \$149 for 30 minutes, it's not cheap, but the prices are set for franchisees by Zapata's company. There is, however, a 20% discount for locals and cheaters rates if two people want to share an hour on the water.

Compared to other extreme activities, which are often over in a few minutes or even seconds (like hunger jumping), it's reasonable. With helmets and lifelines mandatory, as well as a board that floats, flyboarding seems like a fairly risk-free venture.

Although my kidneys and ego might disagree.



Tyler Bagshaw, 17, performs a trick while riding a flyboard on the Welland River.

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# Your legacy is in your hands

Unless you keep close track of obscure holidays and observances, you probably didn't know that August is "What Will Be Your Legacy?" month.

Still, you might want to use this particular month as a useful reminder to take action on what could be one of your most important financial goals: leaving a meaningful legacy.

A legacy isn't simply a document or a bunch of numbers — it's what you will be remembered for, and what you have left behind that will be remembered. It's essentially your chance to contribute positively to the future, whether that means providing financial resources for the next generation, helping those charitable organizations whose work you support, or a combination of both.

To create your legacy, you'll need to do some planning. And you can start by asking

yourself a couple of key questions:

## What are your goals?

When you think about leaving a legacy, what comes to mind? First and foremost, you may want to leave enough money to help your own grown children meet their financial goals. After that, you probably have other things you'd like to accomplish. Perhaps you want to provide resources for your grandchildren to attend college? Or set up a scholarship at your own alma mater? Give financial support to a cultural, social, religious or scientific group? By thinking about your goals and putting them on paper, even in an informal sense, you'll be taking the important first step in leaving the legacy you desire.

## How can you turn your goals into reality?

If you don't take some concrete steps, your legacy just won't materialize. And the

most important step you need to take is to create a comprehensive estate plan. Your estate plan can be quite involved, because it may involve several legal documents, such as a will, living trust, health care power of attorney, and so on. In creating these materials, you will need to work with your legal and tax advisers because estate planning is definitely not a "do-it-yourself" endeavour.

You probably shouldn't wait until you are deep into retirement to take action on your estate plan because developing the necessary documents and arrangements can take a fair amount of time — and you'll want to make these preparations when you're in good mental and physical health. Also, the longer you wait to set up your estate plan, the less likely it will be that you've communicated your wishes clearly to your family members, who may end up unsure about what you want and what their roles are in carrying out your plans — and that's an out-

come you certainly don't want to see.

In fact, clear communication is essential to developing a successful estate plan. You should not only tell your family members — and anyone else affected by your estate plans — what you are thinking of doing, but also inform them about the professionals with whom you are working and the locations in which you are storing any vital documents, such as your will.

By identifying your goals, working with the appropriate professionals to create an effective estate plan, and communicating regularly with your family members and other "key players" in your life, you can go a long way toward leaving the legacy you desire.

Don't wait, do what it takes to launch that legacy.

John Beyer, CFP, is a financial adviser with the Niagara Falls brokerage firm of Edward Jones.

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The hull was refloated and gradually dismantled between May 1986 and April 1987.



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# LOCAL NEWS

## RECREATION

### Merritt Island trail reopens

QMI Agency Niagara

After more than two years, outdoor enthusiasts will once again be able to walk, jog or roll along the recreational trail on Merritt Island — all the way to Thorold if they wish, and beyond.

The north end of the trail, closed in 2012 to accommodate construction workers building a new bridge as part of the widening of Hwy. 406, was reopened at noon last Friday.

A media release issued by Welland Recreational Canal Corp. said the remediated trail, part of the Greater Niagara Circle Route, as well as a reconstructed pathway that leads under the Wood-Lawn Rd. bridge, is now open for the use of walkers, cyclists, inline



ALLAN BENNER/STAFF PHOTO  
Welland Recreational Canal Corp. executive director Stephen Fischer changed a sign at the entrance to Merritt Island, last Friday, reopening the northern portion of the trail that has been closed for years due to the 406 construction.

skaters and others who have been using the shortened trail.

WRCC executive director Stephen Fischer wasted no time in adding an open sign above the word closed at the entrance to Merritt Island last Friday.

"The WRCC would like to thank

Rankin Construction for working together with the canal corporation to get the trail remediated and open as quickly as possible," Fischer said in the media release.

Another portion of the trail, closed due to the highway construction, was reopened in 2012.

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# LOCAL NEWS

■ **LOCAL LANDMARK:** Optical illusion a tourist attraction

## Port Colborne's 'incredible' shrinking mill

**DAN DAKIN**  
QMI Agency Niagara  
Moncton, N.B. has its Magnetic Hill, but Niagara has a

shrinking mill.  
Port Colborne is best known for the Welland Canal and sandy beaches, but a little-

known tourist attraction has been generating more buzz.  
"It's something to see," said Port Colborne Mayor Vance

Badawey. "We get people coming from all over to check it out."

Dubbed the Incredible Shrinking Mill on the city's tourism website, the attraction is an optical illusion involving a massive grain elevator near the Sugarloaf Marina.

Turning left onto Lakeshore Rd. W. from Cement Plant Rd. in Port Colborne and then driving east, the grain elevator fills the horizon at the end of the road, which curves to the left when it hits Gravelly Bay.

Drive closer to the bend in the road, though, and the grain elevator appears to get smaller.

By the time you make the left-hand bend, the building looks significantly smaller and can now be seen on the opposite side of the bay.

The optical illusion is the result of a changing perspective as you drive by. Large trees and houses on both sides of the road make the mill seem bigger than it is, then once the road opens up

and the bay is visible the perspective changes.

According to Port Colborne's tourism website, the phenomena is also the result of the refraction of light off the bay's shallow water.

The grain elevator is more than 100 years old and the illusion has been visible for years, but has gained more interest lately with the posting of a couple of videos on YouTube and a segment about it on a television show.

"As much as we take it for granted, when people see it they're just in awe," said Badawey, who lives near Lakeshore Rd. and said tourists checking out the mill are easy to identify.

"They turn off of Cement Rd., slow almost to a stop to look at it, and then nine times out of 10 you see them drive by again a few minutes later," he said.

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**FUNDRAISER:** Maddi Leblanc raises money for cancer research aboard SUP

# Honouring her friends

DAN DAKIN  
OMI Agency Niagara

As each kilometre on the rippling water passed, the memories of two friends grew stronger and stronger for Maddi Leblanc.

She never really had a chance to say goodbye to Julia Turner or Lynn Lambert. Cancer took both of them far too early. Lambert, a neighbour, died in March 2011 at 37. Nine months later the writhed disease took her close friend Turner at 15.

As the 17-year-old Leblanc paddled her way five kilometres up the Welland recreational canal and then five kilometres back down aboard a standup paddleboard last Thursday, there may have been a support boat nearby and family and friends on the shore, but she was alone with her thoughts. Her memories. Her emotions.

"There wasn't a second I wasn't thinking about them," she said. "This was something I just needed to do for myself. I was my way of saying goodbye."

The 10-km fundraising paddleboard event is all Leblanc's idea. It garnered attention from sponsors like Ausmoss, a SUP company out of St. Catharines that donated a board for her to use and put on a free demo day at Welland International Pleasure Centre.

By Thursday night she had raised \$1,500 for cancer research, but that didn't include cash donations made at the event.

For Leblanc's parents Dan and Jackie, it was a proud, and emotional, day.

"It's an initiative she took on herself," said Dan. "It was something she wanted to do to give back and contribute."

"It's just really important to her to do something good because they were two really good people," said Jackie.

"She wants people to remember them."

Leblanc said the 10-km SUP workout wasn't overly difficult, except for the final few hundred metres, when she could see the 100 or so supporters waiting at the end of the recreational canal for her.

"I could see everybody and I just wanted to get there," she said. "I can't believe this many people were here to support what I've been working hard for. It's amazing."

In the crowd were Paul and Tina Turner, Julia's parents,

who said their daughter was likely smiling down on her friend Thursday.

"It's beyond words. She's a fantastic girl," said Tina.

"It warms our hearts she would keep Julia's memories alive, but we're not surprised because that's the way she is."

This won't be the last fun-



DAN DAKIN/STAFF PHOTO

Maddi Leblanc embraces her mother Jackie Leblanc after her 10km stand up paddleboard for charity.

draising SUP event Leblanc does. She plans to do it again next year, but will invite other paddlers to join her.

"Whoever wanted to come

can do it. I definitely want to do it again," she said.

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**DAN DAKIN**  
QIAgency Niagara

Niagara Regional Police are reminding people alcohol and water don't mix after a woman had to be rescued from the Welland Canal last Friday.

The woman, who isn't being identified by police, was taken into custody "for her safety" Friday afternoon after falling into the canal twice in less than two hours.

The first call came in at 1:14 p.m. for a possible water rescue near the old train bridge at West St. and Clarence St. in Port Colborne.

Three fire trucks, paramedics and the NRP were called to the scene for what, at first, sounded like a swimmer who was stuck in the water and couldn't get out.

Police arrived first and the woman was already out of the water so the fire department was called off. NRP Const. Rich Gadreau said at that point, officers realized it was an intoxicated person who had fallen in, but managed to get out on her own.

However, at 2:40 p.m., the same three fire trucks were again called out to the same site, Gadreau said

it was the same woman who had fallen into the water, but this time she needed to be rescued by the Port Colborne fire department.

When police arrived, the woman was taken into custody for her own protection, he said.

"After jumping into the water the second time, the intoxicated female was apprehended for her safety."

He said the NRP wanted to take the opportunity to remind people of the danger of drinking near water.

"Mixing alcohol or drug consumption with water activities can be a fatal mistake," said Gadreau.

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it responded to the call and arrested a 28-year-old Welland man just before 6 p.m. A pellet gun that looked like a handgun was recovered.

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## AUGUST 16

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## AUGUST 24

### MS BIKE TOUR

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### PURPOSE

The purpose of this meeting is to present Official Plan Amendment 1 (OPA 1) to Council and to hear any comments from the public. The City of Port Colborne has initiated an Official Plan Amendment to modify and update existing regulations including:

- Text and mapping changes to the Westwood Park Secondary Plan (Section 5.3 and Schedule G) to correct minor clerical errors;
- The addition of "Medical Marihuana Production Facility" as a permitted use under the Industrial/Employment Area Designation;
- The re-designation of the properties from 76 to 104 Fraser Street from "Urban Residential" to "Downtown Commercial" on Schedule A;
- Updated policies relating to Garden Suites;
- Minor changes to Schedule A regarding the delineation of the Mineral Aggregate Operations; and
- The inclusion of a policy to allow for the correction of minor clerical, grammatical, spelling and technical mapping errors (including colour adjustments on Schedules), updates to the base mapping to show existing and approved infrastructure, changes to the format or presentation of the plan and altering punctuation to obtain a uniform mode of expression.

OPA 1 will not be adopted by Council at this Statutory Public Meeting. Comments provided at this meeting will be considered prior to the amendment being finalized and adopted. As the Regional Municipality of Niagara is the approval authority, once adopted by City Council, the Official Plan will be forwarded to the Region for its approval.

### STATUTORY PUBLIC MEETING

**Date:** August 11, 2014  
**Time:** 6:30 PM  
**Location:** City Hall Council Chambers, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
 66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne

### HAVE YOUR SAY

Input on the proposed Official Plan Amendment 1 is welcome and encouraged. You can provide input by speaking at the public meeting or by providing written comments to the City. Please note that unless you provide input via one of these means, you may not be able to appeal the decision of Council at a later date.

### WRITTEN SUBMISSION

To provide input in writing or to request personal notification of a decision of Council, please send correspondence c/o City Clerk, 66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne Ontario, L3K 3C8.

### MORE INFORMATION

For more information, please contact Lindsay Richardson, Community/Policy Planner at 905-835-2901 ext 129 or via email at [lindsayrichardson@portcolborne.ca](mailto:lindsayrichardson@portcolborne.ca). A copy of the amendment will be available in the Planning and Development Department, 2nd floor, City Hall for review or it can be found on the City's website at [www.portcolborne.ca](http://www.portcolborne.ca).

### LEGAL NOTICE

Sections 17 and 26 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, C.P. 13 as amended

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the City of Port Colborne before a decision on the proposed Official Plan Amendment, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of Council of the City of Port Colborne to the Ontario Municipal Board.

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Dated at the City of Port Colborne this 17th day of July, 2014

### ■ AGRICULTURE

## Government pledges to reduce use of controversial pesticide

**ROB HOULE**  
 QMI Agency Niagara

You might have expected beekeeper George Scott to be jumping for joy at the news the provincial government is aiming to cut farm use of a controversial pesticide he has rallied against, but you would be wrong. "In this past legislation, provincially, they used an atomic bomb to kill a mouse and they missed the elephant," the Wainfleet resident and managing director of Niagara Beesvay said.

The mouse in Scott's metaphor are farm-ers. The elephant are all the retail products containing neonicotinoids available to consumers.

Scott has lobbied, without success, Niagara Region over the last year asking councillors to support a ban on the non-farm use of neonicotinoids. The pesticide, he told councillors in late March, is being used in 560 products, including aerosol insecticides and pest-free-control products.

Newly-minted provincial minister of agriculture, food and rural affairs Jeff Leach, announced Monday he is moving to limit the amount of neonicotinoids applied to Ontario's farm fields.

Almost all corn seed and about 50% of soybean seeds planted in Ontario are coated with neonicotinoids, which protect the crops from pests throughout plant growth.

Neonicotinoids have been cited as a leading cause of death to pollinators; specifically, honey bees. Three types of the class of neonicotins have been banned from use in Europe.

"Our intention is to move away from the widespread, indiscriminate use of neonicotinoid-based pesticides," Leach said Monday in a statement.

Leach said the ministry will begin consulting with farmers to limit the use of neonicotinoids, which may include licensing.

While he would like to see a total ban on the use of neonicotinoids, Scott said targeting Ontario farmers is not a good approach because it will put them at a competitive disadvantage with farmers in other jurisdictions where there are no bans or limitations. He said mandatory labelling on products noting they may contain neonicotinoids, such as items made with corn starch, will force companies to make neonicotinoid-free products, as consumers will opt for those items.

Wainfleet-area beekeeper Dan Davidson told QMI Agency he welcomes Ontario's decision.

"I think their head's in the right place on this one," said Davidson, president of the Ontario Beekeepers Association.

"They understand it's just getting used whether it's needed or not, and that's not good for any pesticide, especially one that's very deadly to bees and other pollinators."

Ontario's honey industry has been struggling with what Davidson has called an unsustainable 35% average annual death rate among honeybees. He has pointed to the fact that 30% of the food humans eat requires pollination, and honeybees do 80% of the pollinating.

— with files from Paul Morden, QMI Agency



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## Native wildflowers provide a host of benefits

**M**onarch butterflies were once regular visitors to my home garden. They were so common, that their arrival was taken for granted while I welcomed more unusual Mourning Cloak, Eastern Tiger or Black Swallowtail butterflies.

Last summer, I counted a mere handful of monarchs as I photographed gardens in Niagara and up into the Bruce peninsula. I've received letters from readers who are concerned about not seeing as many bees in their gardens this year. There are many theories about what has happened to the butterflies and bees, but the answers are beyond my scope. One thing is certain, native habitats are shrinking as meadows and orchards are replaced with subdivisions and shopping centres. What's the home gardener to do?

Sometimes hope comes in a simple package.

Let's step back for a moment, to a conference in Tucson, Ariz., when I met a lively wildflower grower, Miriam Goldberg, from Coldwater, Ont. With a charismatic personality and an infectious smile, Goldberg was passionate about wildflowers — from sowing seed under glass, to the first Paeonia flower to bloom in her northern meadow, through glorious fields indigo and wild sunflowers and finally helping bridal parties harvest and design charming home-grown bouquets for their weddings. Goldberg was ecstatic, her first book would be published the following year.

Fast forward to March 2014 at Canada Blooms in Toronto. Goldberg is addressing a crowd of garden enthusiasts about the merits of introducing native wildflowers to their home gardens. "Once established, native plants don't need fertilizers, herbicides, pesticides or watering. Many are perennials — year after year they just keep on blooming," she said. Her talk stressed the importance of native wildflowers in habitat gardens for pollinators. "Native plants naturally attract diverse varieties of birds, butterflies and good bugs to your property. Not only is wildflower gardening good for the environment, it saves time and money."

Reader friendly, colourful and inspir-

ing, *Turning Wildflowers* published by St. Lynn's Press is more like spending an afternoon chatting with Goldberg on her beloved 40-hectare wildflower farm, than reading a manual on native wildflower gardening. All of the facts and figures have been thoroughly researched and beautifully presented, but they are offered in such a readable fashion, that I finished the book cover to cover in one delicious sitting.

A former dancer and founder of a prenatal and postpartum fitness program in Toronto, Goldberg's love of flowers was born in 1982 when she purchased a packet of zinnia seeds and was mesmerized by the growth process. Within a few short years, she and husband, Paul, started Canada's first pick-your-own flower farm. Acres of "every kind of flower available in the seed catalogues," followed.

Goldberg fell in love with native plants after planting a small patch of wildflowers near her flower shop (a former barn) in an effort to save work. She was smitten with the colours and textures of the flowers along with the butterflies and songbirds that visited the patch. "I couldn't get over how easy it was to plant and how easy it was to grow and maintain, how long lived they were and, most of all, how utterly beautiful they were. Plus they made stunning bouquets."

For novice gardeners, or more experienced gardeners who are ready to introduce more native wildflowers in their gardens, *Turning Wildflowers* catalogues 60 of Miriam's favourite native plants and grasses. Fokky background, growing details and pollinator partners are included on each illustrated page. This is not an exotic list of unknown plants, seasoned gardeners will recognize garden-friendly smooth Solomon's seal, spiderwort, blue false indigo, rudbeckia hirta, purple coneflower, lavender hyssop and blue aster as flowers they might already be growing at home. For novice gardeners, the list is divided into planting season and plant family, with a little planning you can have blooms throughout the growing season.

Another handy list sorts the plants according to soil preferences: clay, sandy and dry soil and loam. If you garden on dry soil, bee balm, coreopsis, Culver's root, New

England Aster and little bluestem grass are among the selections for your soil. Sandy, dry soils are suited to lavender hyssop, native lupine, blanketflower and downy

sunflower. Loam soil has many options, including sweet Joe-Pye weed, compass plant, foam flower, native columbine, spiderwort, wild quinine and Indian grass.

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